

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-8 (Cancelled)

Claim 9. (Previously Presented) A method for the protection of concrete against a corrosion which comprises applying to said concrete the coating composition comprising graphite dispersed in a curable mineralic binder, in the form of water glass or another water insoluble inorganic silicate, a dispersion agent, an impregnation agent, optionally with additives for cathodic protection as well as optionally an outer ionic reservoir.

Claim 10. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 9 wherein the composition further contains additives that function as curing agents.

Claim 11. (Currently Amended) The method according to claim 9 wherein the impregnation is carried out with a silane.siloxane solution ~~of low viscosity~~.

Claim 12. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 9 wherein the composition is applied for the cathodic protection of reinforcement in concrete in connection with quay constructions, bridges or bridge piers.